

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 791

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jordan Ann Houston,
2018 Valedictorian of Stone Memorial High
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jordan Ann Houston is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2018 graduating class at Stone Memorial High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jordan Houston has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Houston has achieved perfect attendance and earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including peer tutoring and varsity cheerleading; and

WHEREAS, a leader in her school, Jordan Houston has served as president of HOSA and Beta Club, a Kids on the Rise board member, and 4-H teen leader; she has also completed more than 330 volunteer hours in her community; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a biochemistry student at Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Houston's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Vickie and Kenny Houston, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Jordan Houston's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we commend and honor the 2018 Stone Memorial High School Valedictorian, Jordan Ann Houston, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.